

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, JUNE 24, 2003**, upon the application of **OCEAN ENERGY, INC.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Cotton Valley D Zone, Reservoir A**, in the South Drew Field, Ouachita Parish, Louisiana.

1. To permit Ocean Energy, Inc. to drill, designate and utilize an alternate unit well on CV D RA SUT at the exceptional location shown on the plat submitted with the application.
2. To establish that the proposed alternate unit well is necessary to recover hydrocarbons underlying CV D RA SUT that cannot be produced from any other well located on the unit.
3. To authorize the unit allowable for CV D RA SUT to be recovered from the unit well, the alternate unit well(s) located on the unit, or from any combination thereof, at the discretion of the operator.
4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Cotton Valley D Zone, Reservoir A, in the South Drew Field, Ouachita Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 904-A, effective on and after March 22, 1973.

A plat is for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Monroe**, Louisiana.
www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION - ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P. O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.